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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tsutsumi et al.

Appl. No. : 10/559,801

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For : SYNTHETIC RESIN CAP WITH

POSITIONING PROTRUSION, CLOSING DEVICE, AND

CONTAINER-FILLED

BEVERAGE

Examiner : Hylton, R.

Group Art Unit : 1752

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed January 15, 2009, please consider the following remarks.

The Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper. No amendments have been made.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.